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SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Subsequent to the Notice of Appeal filed December 17, 2001, and in reply to the final Office Action mailed on August 15, 2001, Applicants file a Request for Continued Examination and submit the following new arguments or new evidence in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. By virtue of the concurrently-filed Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and appropriate fee, this Request for Continued Examination and Submission Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 are due by April 17, 2002, four-months from the Notice of Appeal, and are timely filed.

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